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Applicant(s) : Yosuke Suzuki et al.  
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REQUEST FOR COMPLETE REFERENCE

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Sir:

This is a request for the Patent Office to furnish applicants' representative with a complete copy of U.S. Patent Application No. 6,449,653 (Klemets et al.).

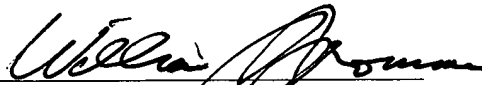
In the Office Action mailed May 12, 2003, Klemets et al. is relied upon as a reference to reject the claims. However, the copy of the Klemets et al. reference supplied to

applicants' representative is incomplete in that the following pages are missing: Sheets 5 to 10 of the drawings, Sheets 15 to 23 of the drawings, and the page containing columns 5 and 6.

Accordingly, so that applicants' representative can best appreciate the relevance of the Klemets et al. reference, it is requested that a complete copy thereof be furnished; and that the term set by the Office Action of May 12, 2003, be reset with the mailing of such complete reference.

Respectfully submitted,

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